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FOR: NUCLEIC ACID FRAGMENTS ENCODING ISOFLAVONE SYNTHASE

**AMENDMENT**Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated May 18, 2005. A Petition for Extension of Time for three (3) months up to and including November 18, 2005, is filed simultaneously herewith. Please enter the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Sequence Listing** begin on Page 43 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 44 of this paper.

**An Amended Sequence Listing** is attached following page 46 of this paper.